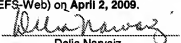


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	
NOTIFICATION OF EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.136	Atty. Docket No. <b>STOR1110-1</b>
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Application Number <b>10/630,339</b>	Date Filed <b>July 30, 2003</b>
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Dear Sir:

<p align="center"><u><b>Certification of Transmission Under 37 C.F.R. 1.8</b></u></p> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22312-1450 via the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Electronic Filing System (EFS-Web) on <b>April 2, 2009</b>.</p> <p align="center">   Della Narvaiz </p>
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Applicant hereby takes an Extension of Time for responding to the **Office Action** date mailed **December 19, 2008**, for a period of one (1) month.

	<i>Extension within</i>	<i>Small Entity</i>	<i>Large Entity</i>
<b>X</b>	First Month	\$ 65.00	\$ 130.00
	Second Month	\$ 245.00	\$ 490.00
	Third Month	\$ 555.00	\$ 1,110.00
	Fourth Month	\$ 865.00	\$ 1,730.00
	Fifth Month	\$ 1,175.00	\$ 2,350.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 65.00</b>	

The Commissioner is authorized to deduct \$65.00 for the fees for the Extension of Time from Deposit Account No. 50-3183 of SPRINKLE IP LAW GROUP. Applicant believes no further fees are due and owing. If Applicant is in error, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the appropriate amount from Deposit Account No. 50-3183 of SPRINKLE IP LAW GROUP.

Respectfully submitted,

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